



PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES

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Re: Health Advisory

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH), as well as other state and federal subject-matter experts, has provided the following [CDPH Health Advisory: Information on Methyl Methacrylate \(MMA\)](#) to support the incident response. CDPH's expertise has been essential in informing the scientific basis of our local advisory and ensuring consistent statewide messaging.

This collaboration enables Orange County's public health, environmental health, and emergency response teams to remain focused on real-time assessment, plume and hazard modeling, and mitigation efforts as the incident evolves. As reflected in both the CDPH advisory and our local analysis, exposure to Methyl Methacrylate (MMA) is not anticipated for anyone outside the established evacuation zone.

This Health Advisory is being issued to address questions from community members and health care providers and to provide clear, evidence-based information about the chemical involved, its potential health effects, and ongoing protective actions.

For official incident updates, please follow the Orange County Fire Authority

- X (Twitter): @OCFireAuthority
- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/OCFireAuthority>

For shelter information, evacuation zones, and translated materials, visit <https://www.ocgov.com>

For additional public safety resources: <https://www.ocsheriff.gov/resources-during-disaster>

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Regina Chinsio-Kwong, DO'.

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